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## DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY - USA PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:

My residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated below next to my name;

I believe I am an original, first and joint inventor of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled **IMPROVED SYSTEM FOR HOT PRESSING CELLULOSIC AND LIGNOCELLULOSIC MATS**, the specification of which

( ) is attached hereto;

(X) was filed on 25 February 2004 as Application Serial No. 10/786,884;

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above;

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56;

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 120 of any United States application(s), or Section 365(c) of any PCT International application designating the United States, listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States or PCT International application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of 35 U.S.C. § 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, § 1.56, which became available between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

### Prior U.S. Application(s)

**U.S. Application No.: 10/429722 Filed: 6 May 2003**

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, § 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

### Prior U.S. Provisional Application(s)

N/A

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, Section 119(a)-(d) or Section 365(b) of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate, or Section 365(a) of any PCT International application which designated at least one country other than the United States, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate or PCT international application having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed.

Prior Foreign Application(s)

N/A

POWER OF ATTORNEY: I hereby appoint the registrants of Weide & Miller, Ltd., 7251 W. Lake Mead Blvd., Suite 530, Las Vegas, NV 89128, **Customer No. 000032856**, to prosecute this application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith (if this application is assigned, I acknowledge that the appointed individuals do not represent me but instead represent the assignee).

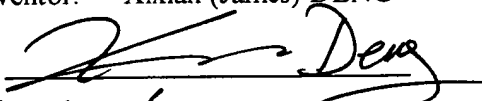
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Inventor's signature

Date

  
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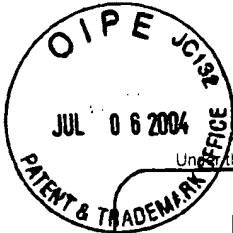
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INDICATION FORM**

Application Number	10/786,884
Filing Date	February 25, 2004
First Named Inventor	DENG, Xixian (James)
Title	IMPROVED SYSTEM FOR HOT...
Art Unit	
Examiner Name	
Attorney Docket Number	CWM0WW.0002P

I hereby appoint:

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☒ Assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)

**SIGNATURE of Applicant or Assignee of Record**

Name	FORINTEK CANADA CORP. (PANSY CHAU, CORPORATE SECRETARY)		
Signature	<i>[Signature]</i>		
Date	APRIL 19, 2004	Telephone	604-222-5701

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

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**STATEMENT UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**Applicant/Patent Owner: DENG, Xixian (James) and XIE, YongqunApplication No./Patent No.: 10/786884 Filed/Issue Date: Feb 25, 2004Entitled: IMPROVED SYSTEM FOR HOT PRESSING CELLULOSIC AND LIGNOCELLULOSIC MATS

Forintek Canada Corp. \_\_\_\_\_, a corporation \_\_\_\_\_,

(Name of Assignee)

(Type of Assignee, e.g., corporation, partnership, university, government agency, etc.)

states that it is:

1. ☒ the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest; or
2. ☒ an assignee of less than the entire right, title and interest.  
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in the patent application/patent identified above by virtue of either:

- A. ☒ An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application/patent identified above. The assignment was recorded in the United States Patent and Trademark Office at Reel \_\_\_\_\_, Frame \_\_\_\_\_, or for which a copy thereof is attached.

OR

- B. ☒ A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application/patent identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:

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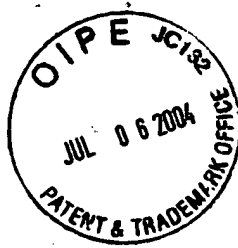
The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

APRIL 19, 2004  
Date

PANSY K. P. CHAU  
Typed or printed name  
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Signature  
Authorized Signatory CORPORATE SECRETARY  
Title

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**ASSIGNMENT**

WHEREAS, We, Xixian (James) DENG, a New Zealand citizen, residing at 1490 Rue de la Peltrie, Sainte Foy, Quebec, Canada G2G 2M1 and Yongqun XIE, a Chinese citizen, residing at 707 - 7<sup>th</sup> Building, 12 Jiangbin West Road, Fuzhou City, Fujian Province, P. R. China 350002, have invented certain new and useful improvements in **IMPROVED SYSTEM FOR HOT PRESSING CELLULOSIC AND LIGNOCELLULOSIC MATS** for which we have filed an application for Letters Patent in the United States, on 25 February 2004, Application Serial No. 10/786,884;

AND WHEREAS, Forintek Canada Corp., (hereinafter "ASSIGNEE"), a corporation with its principal place of business at 2665 East Mall, Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada V6T 1W5, desires to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in and to the said improvements and the said Application:

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the sum of One Dollar (\$1.00) each to us in hand paid, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, the said inventors, do hereby acknowledge that we have sold, assigned, transferred and set over, and by these presents do hereby sell, assign, transfer and set over, unto the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, the entire right, title, and interest throughout the world in, to and under the said improvements, and the said application and all divisions, renewals and continuations thereof, and all Letters Patent of the United States which may be granted thereon and all reissues and extensions thereof, and all rights of priority under International Conventions and applications for Letters Patent which may hereafter be filed for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States, and all Letters Patent which may be granted for said improvements in any country or countries foreign to the United States and all extensions, renewals and reissues thereof; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents of the United States, and any Official of any country or countries foreign to the United States, whose duty it is to issue patents on applications as aforesaid, to issue all Letters Patent for said improvements to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, in accordance with the terms of this instrument.

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AND WE HEREBY covenant and agree that we will communicate to the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, any facts known to us respecting said improvements, and testify in any legal proceeding, sign all lawful papers, execute all divisional, continuing and reissue applications, make all rightful oaths and generally do everything possible to aid the said ASSIGNEE, its successors, legal representatives and assigns, to obtain and enforce proper patent protection for said improvements in all countries.

EXECUTED at Sainte-Foy, Québec, CANADA this 16<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2004.  
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